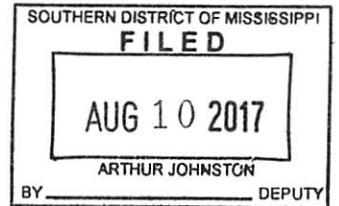


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Respectfully submitted,

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA'S
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Pursuant to the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3730(b)(2) and (4), the United States of America notifies the Court that it is intervening in this action for the sole purpose of filing a Joint Stipulation of Dismissal consistent with a Settlement Agreement between the United States, Relator Bryon Faulkner, and Defendant Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc., dated August 9, 2017. After receiving payment under the Settlement Agreement, which is due by August 16, 2017, the parties will file a Joint Stipulation of Dismissal.

The United States requests that the Relator's complaint, this notice, and the attached proposed order be unsealed. Additionally, the United States requests that all other pleadings and documents filed in this action remain under seal because, in discussing the content and extent of the United States' investigation, those pleadings and documents were provided to the Court only and for the sole purpose of evaluating whether the case should remain sealed and the time for making an election to intervene should be extended. Finally, a proposed order

accompanies this notice.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on this date, I caused the foregoing document to be filed conventionally with the Clerk of Court, and I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing document to be electronically mailed to the party noted below on August 9, 2017.

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